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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, the following amendments, remarks, and arguments are submitted concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in response to the Office Action dated April 26, 2007 wherein the claims were finally rejected.

This response and RCE are timely filed based on the following:

- A timely notice of appeal was filed and fee paid on July 23, 2007 in response to the final rejection.
- A timely reply brief was filed and fee paid on September 20, 2007.
- Examiner Craig Issued a Notice of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief dated October 1, 2007 and provided a one month time period for response.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.

**Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.